

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 774

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A RESOLUTION to honor Terry Curtis for outstanding work as an intern.

WHEREAS, throughout the course of each legislative session, there have emerged certain individuals who far exceed the basic requirements set forth for them to follow; and

WHEREAS, Terry Curtis has distinguished himself as one such individual through his work as a legislative intern for Representative Phillip Pinion; his efforts resulted in untold benefits for the member he served and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, the son of Leslie Curtis and Becky Moore, Terry is a highly regarded student at the University of Tennessee at Martin, where he has excelled both academically and in extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, affectionately referred to as "Stud Muffin" by members of the "S. Patrol"; his many duties included collecting refreshments for them, in addition to serving as their dance partners; and

WHEREAS, Terry quickly developed a proclivity for "entertainment" as an intern, and although he reported to work promptly at 8:00 am each day, his lack of sleep forced him to bid the staff a fond adieu at 10:00 am; and

WHEREAS, during the 1998 legislative session, Terry Curtis exceeded all standards with regard to the qualities that are expected of a dedicated and competent legislative intern; and

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WHEREAS, eager to learn more about the intricacies and idiosyncrasies of Tennessee state government and to aid in his studies, he brought his many skills to the State Capitol for the 1998 session of the One-Hundredth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, Terry has performed his many responsibilities with extraordinary intelligence and alacrity; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE-HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we hereby commend Terry Curtis for outstanding service as a legislative intern and wish him much success in future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.